

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1870

EUROPEAN AFFAIRS. - Contradictory reports are received relative to the situation of affairs. The French accounts say that the Prussians had retired to the northward, beyond Arthenay; that the French had constructed heavy earthworks in front of the railway junction just outside of Orleans, and that the French army under Gen. Palladine was massed between Orleans and Arthenay. Some skirmishing had already been reported. Another dispatch denies these reports and says that it has been ascertained that the Prussians in front of Palladine's army had not retreated to Arthenay. The Prussians now hold the strongholds along the line of the Jura. A sortie from Mezieres has been driven back by the Prussians. King William telegraphs his wife, at Berlin, that the Duke of Mecklenburg repulsed the whole French line near Dreux, many prisioners being taken, and the French retreating in disorder. A Berlin dispatch, via London. says events of great importance are impending -a simultaneous attack on the Germans from the north and south of France, and a sortie from Paris, for all of which preparations have been made. If the Germans are successful, continues the despatch, Paris is expected to tall within two weeks. The particular violalations of the treaty of 1856 complained of by Russia are said to be, by a London dispatch, the cruise of the Prince of Wales in the Black Sea in an English frigate; the similar trip subsequently of Lord Lytton; the appearance of an Austrian squadron at Varna, a Turkish city on the Black Sea, when the Emperor of Austria was there; and lastly, the voyage of the Sultan in a Turkish frigate. There are, of course, other matters than those mentioned. The feeling in London yesterday in financial circles was somewhat quieter than on the previous day. The Government organ at St. Petersburg declares that Russia will not prove uuwilling to submit her demands to a Congress. if it can be held immediately. Austria is actively preparing for war. English officers are enlisting in London for service in the Turkish army. Prussia, it is said, endorses the action of Russia, and says there should be an amicable settlement of the questions in dispute.

The Radical papers are endeavoring to hide their disappointment and chagrin at the general result of the late elections, by declaring that they will have "a good working majority in the next Congress." There may be a Radical majority, but, whether it will be a "working" one remains to be seen. But the truth is, the disappointment is great. There is no use in denying it. Especially in Virginia was it expeoted that the Conservatives would be routed. Now. (though the recent vote does not show it, owing to various causes well known in each Congressional district, and which will probably not operate again,) the actual Conservative majority is much larger than was expected at the polls. We believe that on a fair and square issue upon Radical and Anti-Radical politics, the Conservative majority in Virginia would increase by thousands over the late vote.

A very serious difficulty occurre! on board the British troop-ship Orienties on the 17th at Onebec, owing to the refusal of the commanding officer of the 69th regiment to take to Bermuda, where the regiment had been ordered, the families of the men who married in Canada without leave. The soldiers attacked the officers with fury and used rifles, when the ship's crew was called to quarters to allay the mutiny, Several mutineers were killed. Finally the mutiny was quieted and another vessel was ordered to take the women and children to Bermuda,

It is said that a dispatch was received at London yesterday from Secretary Fish, in refer ence to the Alabama claims. In the absence of Earl Granville it is said that its contents were not made public, but it is reported that the arrival of the dispatch created great con sternation. The report looks like a stock job. bing operation. Even if a dispatch in relation to the Alabama claims was received, it does not follow that it is of a very important charac-

If the colored race would prove themselves worthy to be and remain citizens, let them (as Mr. Vallandingham, said in a recent speech) separate, divide politically and otherwise, as othercitizens do. Let them identify themselves with the communities in which they live, and refuse to be made the slaves' and tools of demagogues. In doing this they will learn to respect themselves, and earn the respect of those among whom they live.

The Baltimore American says the "the probability of a general European war will confer great importance on the question which occu pied Congress at the moment of its adjournment in July, the transfer of foreign-built ships to American registers. President Grant, it is said, will renew the suggestion that such ships be allowed our registers, which he made in July."

The issues to be made by that branch of the Radical party, which is called the "Revenue Reform party," are very good ones, and will not displease the Democrats and Conserva tives, who always and now desire to see a reform in the Revenue, and civil services of the government.

A Madrid dispatch states that the election of the Dake of Aosta, as King of Spain, is highly popular throughout the country. A committee of the Cortes has been appointed to visit Florence and present the Crown to the Duke.

Among the "horror of horrors" is a "Girls' Base Ball Club," at Laneaster, Pa. It is added to this notice, in a very ungallant style, that those engaged in it "ought to be spanked."

A dispatch from Vienna says that it is believed there that present complications in relation to Russia, will not lead to a war.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Joseph Coolo and James Wilson, who kept a swindling counterfeit office in New York under the name of Cooper & Co., were arrested yesterday with eight clerks they had employed. Notwithstanding the firm did an extensive business, no counterfeits, save a one dollar bill, were found in the place. Their plan was to receive certain sums of money from parties and forward them in return boxes of sawdust, thus evading conviction in case they were arrested on a charge of selling or distribut ing counterfeit money. They were arrested on the complaint of a man who had read their circular. He came to New York, went to the office of the bogus money dealers, where he paid \$20 for bogus money currency. The accused took his money and then forcibly put him out of the office. He complained to the

police authorities, and the mon were arrested. A. B. Mullett, Architect of the Treasury building in Washington, in his report, recommends that the practice of converting public buildings into establishments for the accommodation of retail venders of peanuts, apples and other commodities, be prohibited. He is at a loss to see why one citizen has not as good a right to carry on his private business in a public building as another, or why certain favored persons should enjoy a monopoly of these stands.

Argument was had yesterday in Baltimore, before Judge Bond, in chambers, on a bill filed in the U. S. Circurit for the District of Virginia, the object of which is to procure a decree setting aside a deed of trust given for slaves in 1855 or 1856, on the ground that the slaves, baving since been emancipated by reason of the operation of the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution, the contract could not now be enforced. Judge Bond holds the case un-

der advisement. A letter has been received in Washington by a prominent official, from Gen. Schenck, in which that gentleman explicitly states that ho shall take no steps towards contesting the scat of his successful competitor. Col. Campbell, and that if it is contested it will be by the Radicals of his district.

In the Circuit Court of Baltimore county yesterday, in the case of the Baltimore and Potomuc Railroad Company vs. Ross Winans, in relation to the right of way, damages claimed for fences, etc., the suit was decided in ta vor of the Company.

The Bremen ship Magdalene, from New York for Bremen, was recently captured by a French cruiser and taken into Brest.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

The jury in the case of George Willey, colored, indicted with Woody Ruffin for the murder of Lewis Swats, tried in Richmond, brought in a verdict of guilty of voluntary manslaughter, and ascertained his term of confinement in the penitentiary at five years.

Mr. J. K. Taylor has decided to erect a Cheese Factory at Hamilton, Loudoun county, and commence the manufacture of cheese, April 1st, 1871. A sufficient number of cows have already been subscribed to justify the erec tion of the building.

Smiley, who murdered Black on Saturday, delivered himself to the Sheriff of Rocking ham county yesterday.

Mr. Joseph Hollingsworth, anold and respected citizen of Winchester, Va., fell dead in the street a few days ago.

It is intimated that Mr. Alexander Rives is to contest the election of Mr. Dake to Con-The election of the municipal officers of Rich-

mond, at the late election, is to be contested by the Radicals there. The Radical State Committee is called to meet at Richmond on the 14th of December.

Snow fell at Staunton yesterday.

WASHINGTON ITEMS .- A fire at Harwood, yesterdry, burned the barn of W. W. Coreoran, with fifty tons of hay, five horses and four

cows. The loss is \$18,000 to \$20,000. Sixty more hands have been discharged from the construction bureau of the navy yard, and the men in the yards and docks department are working on quarter time.

Edward Clark, architect of the Capitol, has examined the government printing office and pronounces it safe, notwithstanding the reports that it was in danger of falling down. An excitement prevails in the sixth ward in

consequence of a story that a prominent citizen

there, who is married, has eloped with a young Dr. George M. Sothoron of Georgetown, well known as a druggist, for thirty years or more,

died suddenly yesterday, from hemorrhage. The students of Georgetown College neld a meeting last evening, at which a series of resclutions were adopted expressing strong sympathy for the Pope and tendering a reception to Archbishop Spalding, which wa arranged to come off next Tuesday.

THE NOVEMBER METEORS .- Prof. H. A. Newton writes as follows from Yale College to the New York Post:

The returns of the November meteors was expected this year on Monday, the 14th. Oa the morning of the 13th three observers at New Haven, during three hours, saw in the strong monelight only thirty one meteors, of which probably only two or three belonged to the November group. On the morning of the 14th six observers counted 153 in four hours and forty minutes. About one half of them were true members of the Novez, ber group .-Two years ago there were about 7,000 seen on one morning by a somewhat larger party.

Last year the number was much smaller at places where the clouds allowed anything to be seen, but was much larger than we saw this

It seems that either the earth had not reach-

ed the margin of the great meteor stream by suprise last Monday morning, or else that the stream itself, which for several years has been crossing the earth's orbit, at a velocity of about one hunred thousand miles an hour, has all passed by, to return about the year 1900.

MR. GLADSTONE'S ARTICLE in the last Edinburgh Review is exciting much attention, as the Prime Minister of England gives his personal views as to the existing relations of "Ger many, France and England," and defends the present position of his own country. In conclusion he says:

The greatest triumph of our time-a triumph in a region higher than that of electricity and steam-will be the enthronement of the idea of Public Right as the governing idea of European policy; as the common and presious inheritance of all lands, but superior to the opinion of any. The foremost among the nations will be that one which, by its conduct, shall gradually engender in the miad of the others a fixed belief that it is just. In the competition for this prize, the bounty of Providence has given us a place of vantage, and nothing save our own fault or folly can wrest it from our

We adverted, a few days ago, to the dreadthe established African rule there, according to uncontradicted accounts. If this state of things continues, it will be hardly possible for things continues, it will be hardly possible for things continues. A letter from the law of al condition of affairs in South Carolina, under white men to live there at all. A letter from is believed to be good.

WM. SAGAR, Trustee. a "Union" man, published in the New York World makes statements confirmatory of what has already been published. To read them is to excite pity and indignation; pity for the suf-fering whites and indignation at the base blacks to their prement course.

stowed away on the train for Harrisburg .--My "next neighbor" happened to be an eldernature, and it did not take long to get into a conversation-subject, the late elections, and the (to the Marylanders) new element of political power. I found the old gentleman deciddifferences, though warmly contested, did not make us disagreeable, but about half way up the conductor called out his station, and we parted. From thence to Harrisburg I had all quiet. Arrived at Harrisburg at 12 at night .-Here, in order to take a train which would stop where I wished to leave the railroad, I had to wait until 3:30 a. m. Saturday morning. A long wait, but not an unpleasant one, for as train after train came in and started out for different directions, there was a constant acquisition of new faces, affording a fine opportunity for studying the character and dispositions of the comers and goers. Gruff old gentlemen with red noses, and suspicious limps, dignified matrons, "sweet sixteens," &c .- a sort of mix up one does not often see, were constantly passing in and through the waiting room.

don't get a "bit tired."

At length "passengers for the West this way" is bawled out by stentorian lungs, and sound, we are politely set down here at 8:42 This is a quiet little village about 8 miles

ground and the Brush mountain looming up in front. The mountains have lest the golden appearance which was so beautiful when I left a month ago, and now only the tall and stately pine, with its evergreen foliage, relieves the

When one commits himself to the care and tender mercies of a railroad corporation, and pays for his comfort, it is very natural to expect at least decent treatment. "Blessed are those who expect little in some places." Who ever received a genteel answer to a civil question on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad? Is it not strange that some men with a little bit of authority cannot be civil? The conductor on the 7:40 train on Nov. 11th should certainly be allowed time enough to school his sensibilities,

it he has any. I wish I knew his name. How different on the North Central and Pennsylvania Central roads. Mr. Harris on the former and Mr. Lindsay on the latter, without ostentation, are kind and courteous to all. They seem to have the secret of making everybody feel comfortable. They act as though they felt that they were placed in those positions for the purpose of caring for other pecple's comfort-are ever ready to speak kindig, and watchful over the personal convenience of their passengers. Success in the battle of life to Harris and Lindsay.

But I have said enough for this time. I will write you again from Altoona. Yours.

MAC R. R. Co .- In the annual report of the President and Directors of this Company it is

directors of this company to the stockholders made in May, 1856, (which was unanimously approved and adopted, it was recommended hat, in certain contingencies then contemplated, a branch or extension of its railroad should he constructed from a point on its existing road, near Brooke's Station, ten miles northward to a point on or near Quantico creek. -The contingencies then contemplated were realized during the last summer, in the expect ed early construction of the Baltimore and Virginia shore, and in the incorporation of a company for the early construction from that point to a branch or extension of this company's road, of a railroad, the location of which was in progress, with a view to its prompt construction. Under these circumstances the Board of Directors deemed it eminently expedient not to bil to avail themselves of the present favorable season of the year for the construction of this branch or extension of this company's road; and acting under the authority already vested in them, proceeded to have it located and let to contract, and to call a special meeting of the stockholders of the company, which on the 11th day of October last ratified this action of the directory, and adopted measures for providing means for the completion of the work. On a part of this extension con tractors have been for some time actively at work. On others the work will be at once commenced and prosecuted with the utmost

The completion of this read to Quantico during the next summer will very materially shorten the steamboat line and time of transit over this company's route between Richmond and Washington; and in connection with a railroad from that point to Washington or Alexandria will, by supplying the only link now broken, constitute a continuous line of exclusively railway transportation for both freights and passengers between the Southern, Atlantic, and the Northern, Eastern and Northwestern States, with which no other railway route between the same points could reasonably hope to compete. The consequent increase of the business and revenues of this company from the transportation of freights (especially of the less cumbrous and more valuable kinds,) as well as of passengers, it is difficult to estimate, and may well exceed any calculations which

Miss Ella Ruston, of Boone county, Indiana, is said to have lately disposed of her beautiful growth of blonde hair, to a New York dealer in Anderson, Miner Anderson, Virginia Rozier human hair, in order to provid funds for the and Frank Rozier, defendants: In chancery. education of her sister.

AND FOR SALE-Pursuant to a deed of trust from Lee Tuttle to the undersigned, bearing date April 29, 1859, and of record on the land records of Fairfax county. liber B, No. 4, page 76, I shall, on MONDAY, the 19th day of December, 1870, Court day, in front of the Court House door of Fairfax county, sell to the highest bidder, the following described property: All that TRACT or PARCEL OF LAND convoyed by said deed of trust, containing two hundred and ninety-live acres and one hundred and forty-one poles. This land ies near Burke's station, O., A. & M. R. R., and near C. A. Arundle's.

Terms: So much cash as will discharge the expenses of sale and the amount due and uni aid

Fairfax county, nov 19-1a4w

BADEN SUITINGS.

More of the above new style of LADIES' whites who are engaged in hounding on the SUITINGS at blacks to their present course.

SUITINGS at nov 19 WITMER & SLAYMAKER'S.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, Nov. 19 .- The market for Flour is firm. Wheat is active at a further advance of 2c on all grades; offerings of 1973 bushels white and red, with sales of the latter reported at 120, 125, 129, 130, 135, 137, 138, with sales of the former at 83, and of the latter at 72, 75, 76, 77 and 82. Kye is nominal. Osts

GEORGETOWN MARKETS .-- Wheat is in demand and firm There were 4000 bushels red 600 bushels common to good at 120a131 After 'Change yesterday, 2000 bu hels ordinary to good red changed hands at 120.

At Drovers' est, the Cattle market was inactive. Four hundred and hity head of Cattle changed hands at 4856 75 per 100 lbs gross; 900 Sheep and Lambs at 4 50a\$6 75 per head; dress-#In Flour the shipments for the week were 2000 barrels. The coal operations of the week were 12,960 tons received, and 13,580 tons ship-

DRY GOODS TRADE -The following review of the wholesale dry goods trade during the past week is from the New York Daily Bulletin: "The dry goods trade still presents a duil, inactive appearance, slthough the past has shown a slight increase of activity on some special lines. The general phase of the market, however, is very unsatisfactory to holders, who ex hibit some anxiety to lessen their stocks, and for that purpose have offered concessions on prices, but with little effect.

The Baltimore stock market continues dull. There were no sales of Gold, Government or State securities at the board yesterday. City 6s 1890 are steady at 9 § B. & O. R. E. bonds 1875 sold at 95; do. 1856s at 921; Orange, Alexandria and Manassas R. R. bonds at 771

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PORT OF ALEXANDRIA NOVEMBER 19.

AKRIVED. Schrs Lookout, Boston; Marietta Stoelman, Georgetown, and Clara, Fort Washington, to American Coal Co. Schra Henry Allen, Philadelphia; Forward, Jones, Havro de Grace, and Bee, Philadelphia.

Steamship E C Knight, Johnson, New York, by Hooe. Wedderburn & Co.
Schrs Marietta, Steelman, Jersey City, and Clara, New Haven, by American Coal Co.

coal to W A Smoot.

MEMORANDA. Schr W L Herne, Wright, for this port, cleared at Baltimore 18th. Schr S L Simmons, Gandy, honce for New Haven, arrived at New York 17th instant. Schr W N Gesner, Egbert, hence at Richmond 16th instant.

CANAL COMMERCE

Boat P L Lemen, to Hamp & Balt Coal Co.: boats A Perkins, J H Stickney, Wm M Bramhall and J W Wellington, to American Coal

DEPARTURES. Boats Henry Reed, J J Swift and Perkins,

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VA., AND IN FAIRFAX COUNTY FOR SALE BY trust executed by Asron Brunn and Paulins
Brunn, his wife, dated February 1st, 1869, and of record in the County County 1st, 1869, and of record in the County Court of Alexandria NAILS, &c., are invited to examine the stock and in the County Court of Fairfax county, the st B. F. BRUNER'S LUMBER YARD, on and in the County Court of Fairfax county, the undersigned, as trustee in said deed named, will expose to sale, by public auction, the property hereinafter described, on the premises, and on the days hereinafter respectively named, to wit: First; will be sold in the city of Alexandria, on the premises, on TUESDAY, the 20th day of December next, a certain LOT OF LAND, situated in the said city, on Et. Asaph and Wilkes streets, with TWO HOUSES located thereon; and will be sold in the county of Fairfax, on the premises, on Wall-NESDAY, the 21st day of December next, TWO CERTAIN TRACTS OF LAND, by said deed conveyed, both situated near Manassas station, on the Orange, Alexandria and Manassas R. R., the one containing 270 acres, or thereabouts, adjoining the lands of Joseph Holden and others, and lying on the stream known as Bull's Run; the other containing about 89 acres of land, adjoining the tract last above named and the lands of James E. Lynn and others. The two tracis thus above named, composing one tract of 318 acres, or thereabouts Said tract of land is in every way desirable;

of excellent natural soil; in a good state of inprovement and cultivation, with a new and commodious DWELLING HOUSE and every convenient and necesary out-house, in an excellent neighborhood, with fine market facili ties, unsurpassed educational advantages, &c. Terms of sale, prescribed by the deed, are cash; but an arrangement will probably be made with the creditors, secured by the said deed, by which a credit of six and twelve months, two equal payments, will be given on so much of the purchase money as will be necessary to satisfy the debts secured by said

deed, still remaining unpaid; and for the residue of the purchase money, a liberal credit wil be given. Persons wishing to communicate with the trustee before the day of sale with ref erence to the above named property will address him at Charlottesville. N. B - If the weather should be unsuitable on the days above named, the sales will take

place on the next suitable days thereafter. DRURY WOOD, Trustee. GRAND OPENING OF MILLINERY,

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S. LINDHEIMER, nov 19-td

TIRGINIA, to wit :- In the County C ur of Fairfax county, November Kules, 1870 John R. Miner, Franklin Miner and others against James W. Anderson, James Anderson, Thomas Anderson, Mary Anderson, Edward

Mem: The object of this suit is to obtain decree directing an issue to try whether the real estate in the bill and proceedings mention ed was devised to the said Mary Anderson or lescended to the heirs of George Miner; and i t shall be found that the said real estate so decended, to obtain a decree for the sale thereof. It appearing by athidavit filed that the said defendants are non residents of this State, it is ordered that they appear here within one month after due publication hereof, and do what is necessary to protect their interests. A copy-teste: F. D. KICHARDSON, C. k. teste:

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VEW BOOKS TO DAY AT FRENCH'S. BOOK AND STATIONERY STORE, 95 RING STREET.

Bessey Ram, by Mrs. Henry Wood, author of "East Lynne," "Verner's Pride," "Castle's Heir," etc., etc.; 1 vol.; \$150. KING STREET.

Belmont, Alex. co., Va, nov 15

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A Dominican Artist, a sketch of the fife of Rev Pere Besson, of the order of St. Dominic, by the author of "Tales of Kirkbeck, "Life of Eledame Louise DeFrance," etc; \$150.

The Ruined Statues and other poems, by Louise Billings Spalding; \$150. The Aldine edition of the Poems of Shaks-

peare; London; 75c. In Duty Bound, by the author of "A Brave The Warden and Barchester Towers, by An-

thony Trollope; paper covers, 75c. New Books daily. [no 12] G. E. FRENCH. A LL CAPTAINS OR COMMANDERS OF vessels engaged in taking or carrying oysters from the waters of Virginia are hereby notifled to obtain such license as is required by "an act imposing a tax on oysters," passed April 23d, 1867, and approved July 11th, 1870, and all restaurants, shucking and packing houses, or persons shucking for sale are bound to the part of the in a tax of one cent per bushel for all cysters opened by them, which said tax will be collected by the District Deputy Inspector.

I. ELLIS L. PRICE, District Dep. Inspector.

of the State of Virginia, Dist. No. 2, will be at my office No.16 Potomac strand, each and every day, for the purpose of issuing licenses, inspecting and scaling measures and attending other requirements of the law. Persons failing to comply with the above no-tice will be dealt with in such penalties as are prescribed in said law. ELLIS L. PRICE,

Dist. Dep. Ins., Dis. No. 2. nov 14-2w

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nov 8-tf TURS AND MILLINERY GOODS.

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plished Optician, and we very cordially commend him to the confidence of the community.

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Pastor M. E. Church South.

Alexandria, September 17, 1870. Judging from the interview which I have had with Professor M. Bernhardt, I believe him to be a skillful Optician, and from the many certificates which he has from the highest men of the South, that he is an experienced and reliable Oculist.

F. J. MURPHY, M. L.

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Pastor of the M. F. Church.

Alexandria, Va., Sept. 19, 1870. [From Ex-Governor Shorter, of Alabama.]

Eufaula, Ala., April 7, 1870.

Dr. M. Bernhardt, Oculist and Optician:

My Dear Sir: I beg to express to you the

deep sense of obligation I feel for the professional kindness extended to me, by which, with eye sight impaired by years of application and study, I am enabled to write this note with the clearness of vision which I enjoyed in the days of my youth. May your honorable and useful life long be spared, that humanity may enjoy the scientific skill of one so eminently qualified in mind and heart to do good to his fellowmen. With grateful acknowledgments, permit me to

subscribe myself, Your obedient servant and friend, Gov. JNO. GILL SHORTER.

State of South Carolina, Executive Dept .. Columbia, June 19, 1867. Sir: I have made full and satisfactory test of the Spectacles procured from you, and I have the pleasure to say that the glasses are better adapted to my eyes than any I have ever used. The facilities with which you fitted the glass to my eye furnished me conclusive evidence of

Your attainments in your profession entitle you to the confidence, patronage and gratitude of the public. I have the honor to be very respectfully JAMES L. ORE, Governor of South Carolina.

your thorough experience as an Oculist.

Portsmouth, Va., Dec 1, 1865. Prof. Bernhardt:-I owe you a debt of gratitude for the benefit you have rendered me. For many years I have been accustomed to use glasses when reading or writing, and always with pain, more or less, to my eyes. You have relieved me from all inconvenience. I can now read and write for all hours without any pain, and can see objects distant and near through the same glasses with clearness and distinctness that I have not experienced since my youth.

I am gratefully yours, JOSEPH H. PLUNKETT, Pastor of St. Paul's.

Testimonials similar to the above may be seen at M. Bernhardt's office from the most reliable and well known gentlemen of the United States, among whom are: Horatio Seymour ex-Governor of New York.

R. E. Fenton, ex-Governor of New York. A. G. Curtin, ex-Governor of Pennsylvania. R. B. Hays, Governor of Ohio. O. P. Morton, ex-Governor of Indiana. Alexander Ramsey, ex-Gov. of Minnesota. Henry A. Swift, ex-Governor of Minnesota. Richard Yates, ex-Governor of Illinois. R M. Patten, ex-Governor of Alabama. Joseph E. Brown, Ex-Gov. of Georgia. Jonathan Worth, Cov. of North Carolina.

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short time only.
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Letter from Pennsylvania. [Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.] "To those the very age and body of the Times." BELL'S MILLS, PA., Nov. 14.-I promised that I would write from this mountainous country, and new propose to redeem my promise. I left dear old Alexandria by the 3 o'clock boat on Friday, the 11th, and Washington on 140 and 141. Corn is active and very firm; ofthe 5:45 p. m. train. By 7:40 we were safely ferings of 130 bushels of white and 214 of mixed,

41 and 45.

ly gentleman of a somewhat communicative are firm; offerings of 432 bushels, with sales at edly "forninst" me in politics, but like all sensible people, he was very courteous, and our differences, though warmly contested, did not differences, though warmly contested, did not ed Hogs 10a\$11 per 100 lbs.

It's a quiet sort of gratification to sit in a corner unobserved and take notes, and you

we are shown to a car which we are assurred will go wherever we want to go and warranted not to "bust," and true enough, safe and east of Altoona, with the Alleghany for back-

dreary appearance of coming winter.

RICHMOND, FREDERICKSBURG, & POTO-

"In the annual report of the president and Potomac railroad, from Baltimore, through Washington, over the Long Bridge to the

can now be prudently made. LAND SALES .- A farm of 2212 acres in Spalding's district, Prince George's county, Maryland, has been sold to Isaac Hartman. of Baltimore county. for \$5,537. The tract of land known as "Bellemente," belonging to Zachariah Berry, of Washington, containing 400 acres, has been sold to Dr. C. A. Harding

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